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In the Application of)

Jacques Bourdel)

on A METHOD AND A MACHINE FOR)
EXTRACTING, BY EVAPORATION,)
SOLID RESIDUE CONTAINED IN A)
FLUID MATTER)

Serial No.: 09/890,016)

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RESPONSE

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of September 25, 2002, reconsideration based on the following is requested. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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